MEMORANDUM

TO: Carrie Eddy

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FROM: Jane D. Hickey

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DATE: January 22, 2004

Proposed State Medical Facilities Plan SUBJECT:

12 VAC 5-230-10 et seq.

I have reviewed the proposed revised State Medical Facilities Plan (SMFP). The Board of Health has the authority to promulgate the Plan as a regulation pursuant to Va. Code §§ 32.1-12, 32.1-102.1, 32.1-102.2 and 32.1-103. The proposed SMFP is constitutional and does not conflict with existing State or federal statutes or regulations.

If we can be of further assistance in reviewing the SMFP, please give us a call at 786-1927.

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